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For: **METHOD FOR VERIFYING CODE TRANSFORMERS
FOR AN EMBEDDED SYSTEM, IN PARTICULAR
IN A CHIP CARD**

McLean, Virginia

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the subject application, filed concurrently herewith, as
indicated below:

IN THE TITLE:

Delete "TRANSFORMERS" and substitute --TRANSFORMATION--;

Delete ", IN PARTICULAR IN A CHIP CARD--.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

After the title and before the first paragraph on page 1, insert the
following heading at the left-hand margin:

--FIELD OF THE INVENTION--;

Page 1, line 4, delete "transformers" and substitute --transformation of

a--;